the year, must pay up in full and give the proprietors two weeks notice, otherwise the paper will be continued and charged for Any person sending us five NEW subscribers, accompa nied by the advance subscription, (\$12 50,) will receive the sixth copy gratis, for one year.

Money may be remitted per mail, at our risk.

All letters on business connected with this office, must be addressed (post paid) to the proprietors.

### Professional and Business Cards.

J. E. KEA, DENTIST, RESPECTFULLY announces to his friends and the public that he has returned from his summer trip, and is prepared to continue the practice of Dentistry in all the latest mprovements, and hopes to have a continuation of that patronage heretofore received.

Office over Mr. Agostine's store, Market-street. Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 17, 1851 PORTRAIT PAINTING.

MASSALON, Portrait Painter, would respectfully in-J. form the citizens of Wilmington and the surrounding country, that he has permanently located himself in this place, and will be happy to receive the patronage of any la-dies or gentlemen who may wish to procure faithful likenesses of themselves or any member of their family. He flatters himself, from his long experience in the art, that he will be enabled to give satisfaction. His room is in the basement of Mr. H. R. Nixon's dwelling, corner of Princess and Second streets, immediately opposite the Jail, Wilmington, N. C. April 4, 1851

A TTORNEY AT LAW, Duplin County, N. C., will attend the Courts of Duplin, Sampson, and Onslow Counties, and attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care.

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EDWARD CANTWELL, Market-st., Wilmington, N. C., A TTORNEY at Law, Commissioner for Georgia, New York, Florida, Scuth Carolina, &c., will give prompt attention to U. S. claims, and all other business entrusted to

WILLIAM S. READ. HOUSE and Ship Painter, Glazier and White Washer, Office under Commercial Hotel, Wilmington, Thankful for past custom, he respectfully informs the public generally, that he is prepared to execute all work in his line of business, and takes this method of soliciting a

share of the public patronage. July 4th, 1851 WILLIAM A. GWYER, MENERAL Agent, Forwarding & Commission Mer-T CHANT .- I take pleasure in informing my friends, that I am prepared to give all business entrusted to me, efficient and personal attention. I have a wharf for Naval Stores,

kinds of country produce solicited. Cash advances made on Wilmington, N. C , June 6, 1851 A. A. B. SOUTHALL, CENERAL Agent, Commission Merchant, and Col-LECTOR, Wilmington, N. C., will receive and sell on commission any Goods, Wares, Merchandize, and Country Produce that may be sent to his care, except Spirituous Liquors. He also offers his services to the merchants of Wilmington, and the public generally, as Collecting Agent. All

claims put in his hands for collection, or any other business entrusted to his care, shall receive his prompt attention. He respectfully solicits the patronage of his friends in the above business, or any other business where an Agent is wanting. RHFERENCES: R. H. GRANT, ELLIS & MITCHELL, G. R. FRENCH, C. MYERS, May 9, 1851-35-tf]

GRADY & MONK. J Goods, Groceries, &c., Hall's Building, North Water Street, Wilmington, N. C. Prompt attention will be given to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce which may be sent to their care.

April 4, 1851 MILES COSTIN, COMMISSION Merchant, REFERS TO

E. P. HALL, Esq., President Branch Bank of the state; THOS. H. WRIGHT, Esq., President Bank of Cape Fear; O. C. PARSLEY, Esq., President Commercial Bank—Wilming-GAUSE & BOWDEN.

TOMMISSION Merchants and General Agents, Wilmington, N. C. JOHN C. BOWDEN. Gen. ALEX. MCRAE, President W. & R. R. R. O. G. PARSLEY, President of Commercial Bank.

E. P. HALL, President Bank of the State. J. & D. McRAE & Co., Merchants. [13v7-1y] P. K. DICKINSON & Co., Merchants.

WM. C. HOWARD. HOWARD & PEDEN. CROCERS, Ship Chandlers, and Commission Mer-I chants, South Water Street, Wilmington, N. C., will make liberal cash advances on all consignments of produce to them in Wilmington, or to Peter Van Ness & Co., New at the Court-House in Wilmington, on the second Monday

MARTIN & CRONLY, UCTIONEERS and Commission Merchants, Wilmington, N. C. M. CRONLY.

corner of Water and Princess Streets, Wilmington, N. C.

public that he is prepared to take contracts in his line of business. He also keeps constantly on hand Lime, Plaster, Plastering Hair, and Fire Brick, of the best quality, Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 10, 1851

WILKINSON & ESLER, (ASH Dealers in Confectionary, Fruit, Nuts, Toys, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, Tobacco. Segars, &c. &c. Wholesale and Retail, Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.

J. M. ROBINSON,

IMPORTER and Dealer in Hardware, Iron, Stoves, 1 Nails, &c., Front-street, 3 doors South of Market, Wil-BENJAMIN F. KEITH, INSPECTOR of Naval Stores and Provisions, Wilmington, N. C. Having had considerable experience in

the inspection of Naval Stores, he is prepared to execute any order in his line with promptness and dispatch, and respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage. D. McMillan, McMillan & Davis, S. DAVIS.

DEALERS IN Dry Goods, Grocertes and Provisions, Corner of North Water and Chestnut Streets, Wilming-Feb. 14th, 1851 23 D. L. BURBANK,

(Successor to Hatch & Burbank,)
WHOLESALE and Retail Dealer in Tobacco,
Cigars, and Snuff, Front-street, Wilmington, N. C. WHOLESALE and Retail Druggist, and Dealer in Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass, Garden Seeds,

Perfumery, Patent Medicines, &c. &c., corner of Front and Market-streets, immediately opposite Shaw's old stand, Wil-DUGALD MCMILLAN. NSPECTOR of Naval Stores and Provisions, Office

corner of North Water and Chestnut Streets, Wilmington, The usual prompt attention given to all business in his

A. B. EVERIETT. DUTCHER, Wilmington, N. C., will pay the highest B cash prices for Beef, Mutton, Lamb, and other live Stock suitable for the Butchering business.

their advantage to call on him before selling.

The citizens of Wilmington are requested to visit Stalls Nos. 10 and 12 when they attend market, as the best of the above meats may always be found for sale at these Stalls, on as low, if not lower, terms than any of the others in market.

April 18, 1851

JESSUP & MOORE, DIPER Manufacturers and Rag Dealers, 21 North Fifth and 23 Commerce street, Philadelphia. Book, News, Hardware and Manilla Paper made to order. March 14, 1851.

WILLIAM CORFIELD. HOWARD YARNALL. ALCOHOL AND BURNING FLUID, &c. &c. VARNALL & CORFIELD, Manufacturers of Absolute, Fluid, Druggists' and Perfumers' Alcohol; Also, Burning Fluid or Ethereal Oil; Phosgene Gas and Camphine, or Pine Oil. The above articles always on hand, at the lowest cash prices. Orders by mail or otherwise will be strictly and promptly attended to at the Manufactory, 274 and 280 North Third Street, Philadelphia. August 15, 1351

M. McINNIS, DEALER in Groceries, Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, Segars, &c., North Water street, Wilmington, N. C. Int the sign of the Turk.

In the sign of the Turk.

D. L. BURBANK.

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## Millinery and Dress-Making.

MRS. SARAH H. KELLY takes this method of informing her town and country friends that she has just retarned from New York, with a well selected stock of MILLINERY, consisting in part of SILK, and SATIN and STRAW HATS, of the latest styles. A splen-P. S.—A young girl wishing to learn the trade will find a situation by applying soon.

October 7. 1851—1mm

MRS. SHAW'S
ASHIONABLE Millinery and Dress-Making Establishment, on Second-street, opposite Mr. O. G. Parsley's. Always on hand, a handsome assortment of Cloaks and Mantillas, of the latest styles. Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 22, 1850

#### General Notices.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF WILMINGTON. HE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, will be held at the Banking House in the town of limington, on Monday, the 3d day of Nevember.

Oct. 17, 1851—6-3t]

T. SAVAGE, Cashier.

\$20 REWARD. RUNAWAY from the subscriber, on the 5th inst. a Negro Boy named SAM. He is about 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complected, sulky appearance—well known on Moore's Creek, in New Hanover, where he is probably lurking. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to the subscriber, or for his confinement in New Hanover Jail or any other Jail in the State, so that he can

NEW STORE AT KENANSVILLE. THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Duplin And adjoining counties, that he has just opened a new store in the town of Kenansville, and invites all who are in want of cheap goods, to give him a call, as he has a general assortment, suitable for the country trade, all of which he offers low for cash.

H. SULLIVAN. Kenansville, Duplin County, N. C., Oct. 17th

FOR SALE OR LEASE. with ample accommodations, Spirit House, and Warehouse. Consignments of Naval Stores for sale or shipment, and all OFFER for sale or lease the following lots in the town of Wilmington:—One house and part of two lots between Second and Third streets, fronting on Nunn street. Also the Southeast corner lot on Second and Nunn streets. Also one lot adjoining the same, fronting on Second street. Any person wishing information respecting the above property, will please call on Mr Lewis Hines, in Wilmington, or on the subscriber at White's Creek, Bladen County, N. C.
J. H. CLARK. Oct. 17th, 1851

#### STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.

NEW HANOVER COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Session, September Term, 1851 Hannah Moore and Wm. J. Moore vs. Daniel W. Mott and wife and others-Petition for sale of slaves. T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Dempsey Futch, and his wife Sarah Jane, and Thomas E. Moore Wilmington, N. C. two of the defendants in this case, are non-residents of the State of North Carolina: On motion, it is ordered, that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal for six weeks, that the defendants-Dempsey Futch, and his wife Sarah this Court, and plead, demur or answer the petition filed in this case, or said petition shall be taken pro confesso as to

them. Witness, L. H. MARSTELLER, Clerk of our said Court, at office, in Wilmington, September 8th, 1851. L. H. MARSTELLER, Cl'k, by DAN'L DICKSON, Deputy Cl'k.

THE subscriber having obtained letters of Administration upon the Estate of the late Timothy W. Bludworth, at the September Term 1851 of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the county of New-Hanover, hereby notifies all persons indebted to his intestate, to come forward and make payment; and these having claims against said intestate, are notified to present them within the time prescribed by law or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. D. S. SANDERS, Adm'r.

September 9th, 1851. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

NEW HANOVER COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions-September Term, 1851. negro named GEORGE AARON, has been confined in he Jail of New Hanover county for twelve months as a run-Revised Statutes, chapter 111, section 16.) It is therefore ty expose at public sale, the said George Aaron, as a slave, sar Oils; Indelible Ink; Dupuy's Liquid Solder. &c. Sheriff of New Hanover county.

Wilmington, Sept. 15, 1851 THAYER'S PATENT BRIDGE. A NEW and valuable trestle Bridge has been patented by Mr. G. W. Thayer, of Massachusetts, which will be found to be an important invention. The amount of strength WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in Domestic datained by the structure is spoken of as being wonderful.—
The inventor feels confident that no weight which could be of Hats, Caps. Umbrellas, and Walking Canes, placed upon it, could break it down. This consideration, to which he respectfully invites the attention of all those taken together with the economy with which it may be built, will render it worthy the attention of all who are interested JOSEPH L. KEEN,
in the subject. This bridge is adapted peculiarly to Railroads as well as county reads, as it can be made of any rewholesale prices. quired span, so as not to obstruct the navigation of streams when rafts or boats might be desired to pass, and can also be built at a very moderate expense.

ISAAC WELLS, Wilmington, N. C., is Agent for this State,

as also for South Carolina and Virginia, and will attend to all communications upon the subject addressed to him, post Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 8th, 1851

\$25 REWARD. MANUFACTURER and Dealer in Hats, Caps, Umbrellas, and Walking Canes, of every description, wholesale and retail, North side Market-street, Wilmington, N. C. DROKE JAIL in Whiteville, Columbus county, on Satur He has been convicted of murder. I will give the above reward of Twenty-Five Dollars for his delivery to me in

> Co-Partnership Notice. THE subscribers have this day entered into Co-Anderson, for the purpose of carrying on the Jewelry Business, in the town of Wilmington. Their establishment will be continued at the old stand of the senior partner, (T. W. Brown,) on Market Street, near Front Street, where an extensive assortment of Watches, Jewelry, and Silver Ware

Whiteville, or any Jail so that I can get him again. LEWIS WILLIAMSON, Sh'ff.

may at all times be found. Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired.
THOS. W. BROWN,
WM. S. ANDERSON. Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 15th, 1851.

T. W. Brown is desirous of winding up his old business and will be pleased to see those indebted to him come for ward at as early a day as possible, and settle.

\$25 REWARD. RUNAWAY from the subscribers, on Sunday, 31st August, a negro man named IRELAND, about 28 or 30 years old;—he is about 5 feet 8 inches high, black, rather stout, bushy hair and beard, and he leans forward very much in walking. He had on an old suit of drab kersey when he went off. We purchased him from Mr. Owen Holmes about two years since. He formerly belonged to Samuel Anders, of Bladen county, and is doubtless lurking about his old neighborhood.

The above reward will be paid for his apprehension and confinement in any Jail so that we can get h ANDERSON & YOUNG. Wilmington, Sept. 4, 1851

CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY. THE undersigned having bought the Carriage Tractory formerly carried on by N. S. Neale, on the corner of Princess and Third Streets, opposite the Livery Stables of H. R. Nixon, Esq., respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to execute all work in the Persons bringing to market such articles, will find it to above line, in the most fashionable, substantial and neat He is also prepared to Shoe Horses, in a manner that will

give satisfaction. He is also prepared to execute al! Smith work connected with riding vehicles: also, to repair Drays, Carts and Waggons of every description. He has now been carrying on the above business for several months, in Wilmington, and believes that he has given general satisfaction, and hopes by strict attention to his bu-siness to receive a liberal continuance of patronage.

\*\*All vehicles to repair, or horses to shoe, sent by servants, must be accompanied with a written order, or they JOHN H. LANE. will not be attended to. Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 15, 1851

REMOVAL. Removed to Mulberry Street, between Front and North Water Streets. North Water Streets. keys, &c. Also, Harness of all kinds.

est and best manner. Wilmington, N. C., July 4, 1851

# Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c.

C. DuPRE, DRUGGIST, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER in Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Fancy Articles, Liquors, Window Glass, French and American as-

The subscriber keeps constantly on hand a large and well did variety of Ribbons, French Flowers, Embroidery and Head Dresses, of the latest styles, already open for customers; at lowest prices. She is thankful to her friends for past favors, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same, still at the old stand.

Selected stock, which he will sell as low at any Druggist in the Southern country. Every article is warranted to be of the best quality and put up in the best style. Physicians and Merchants will do well to call and look for themselves before buying elsewhere. Drugs.

Epsom and Glauber Salts; Castor and Sweet Oil; Rhubarb Jalap; Ipecae; Arrow Root; Cream Tartar; Carb. Soda; Gum Arabie: Assafætida; Gum Camphor; Alex. Senna; Peruvian Bark; Borax, &c.

Sulph. Quinine; Iodine; Iodide Mercury; Iodide Potash; Calomel; Eng. Blue Mass; Spirits Nitre; Sulph. Ether; Spirits Hartshorn; Nit. Acid; Spirits Iodide of Iron; Cit. Feni et Quinine. Patent Medicines.

Sands' Sarsaparilla; Lee's, Beckwith's, Peters', Spencer's. Wright's, and Brandreth's Pills; Moffit's Bitters and Pills; Dead Shot; Fahnestock's Vermifuge; Cod Liver Oil; Ayer's Cherry Pectoral; Swayne's Syrup Wild Cherry; Balsam Wild Cherry, &c. Paints, Olls, &c. Pure Lead; Extra and No. 1 Lead; Verdigrisin oil; Chrome

Green, in oil and dry; Paris Green, in oil; Vermellion Black, in oil; Spanish Brown, in oil; Venitian Red, in oil, &c. All the above articles will be sold cheap, at the Drug Store C. DuPRE, Market-street. Wilmington, July 25, 1851 DREAD without Yeast. Just received from N. York:

5 boxes Babbitt's Effervescing Compound for making Bread, Buckwheat, and Tea Cakes; a very fine article. Try C. DuPRE'S Drug Store, Market-street. it! To be had at WASHING without Labor. A few boxes of Babbitt's Soap Powder, a chean and good article for making

Soap Powder, a cheap and good article for making Soap. Those that have used it pronounce it excellent. Soft Soap. T C. DuPRE'S Drug Store, Market-street. July 25] DURNING FLUID .- Always on hand, warranied. For W. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Clemist.

LINSEED OIL.—A fine lot of pure Linseed Off, just received. For sale by W. H. LIPPITT,
Druggist & Chemist. WHITE Lead.—A fresh supply direct from the Factory, recently ground. For sale cheap, by W. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Chemist.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS. Dye-Stuffs, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, and Patent MEDICINES.

THE subscriber has just returned from the North with a large and fresh stock of articles in his line, selected with great care from the first importers and manufacturers in the Northern cities, which he offers at the

COMMISSION Merchants, and Dealers in Dry Jane, and Thomas E. Moore, appear at the next Term of cury Sulphur, Lead, and Iron; Lactate of Iron; Citrate of Iron; Citrate of Iron and Quinine; Elaterium; Anconitine, &c. Paints, Otis, Dye-Stuffs, Glass-White Lead, pure 12 by 14, 10 by 15, 12 by 15, 12 by 18, 11 by 17; Madder; Indigo; Gall; Venetian Red; Spanish Brown; Logwood Chrome Green and Yellow, dry and in oil; Linseed and Train Oils; Whale and Sperm Oils; Paint Brushes; Sash Tools Badger Hair, Blenders; Varnish Brushes; Sable Artist

> For Pastry .- Cooper's Isinglass; Preston's Ex'ts Lemon. Cinnamon, Vanilla, Rose, and Nutmeg; Rose Water, English and Lubeck, and to incorporate them in our and American; Preston's celebrated Yeast Powder; Cloves; man States. Hamburg is to fall to Prussia. Pepper; Mustard Seed; Ginger; Alspice; Nutmegs; Cinna-

mon; Sweet Oil, &c. Perfumery and Fancy Articles .- French, German and American Cologne; Lubin's Extracts, very large assortment: Aromatic Vinegar; Guerlain's, Rousel's, and Hauel's
Shaving Cream; Lubin's Toilet Soap; 50 dozen assorted fancy Soaps; 25 dozen French. English, and American Hair
disturbing his honor; but the lustice winds. Brushes; 50 dozen assorted Tooth Brushes; 6 dozen Shaving Brushes; 6 dozen Nail Brushes; Military Shaving Soap; Hat and Cloth Brushes; Toilet Powders, Meen Fun; Prepared Chalk, in balls, white and pink; Alabaster Powder; Lip Salve; TT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that a certain | Cold Cream; Essence Bouquet; Jenny Lind Hair Gloss; Scaling Wax; Toilet Bottles, a large assortment; 6 dozen Barry's Tricopherous; 6 dozen Phalon's Invigorator; Hauel's Eau away slave, and that the requirements of our statute laws in Such cases made and provided has been complied with. (See Rose; Powder; Puff Boxes; Cachon Aromatise; India Rubber Lustral; French, English, and American Pomatum; Oil of Balls; Salt Bottles; Ivory and Buffalo Fine Combs; Horn

Druggist and Chemist. October 11th, 1850

ling. For sale by Feb. 21, 1851] London's wharf.

TOTICE. The subscriber is now receiving his Fall Stock wishing to purchase. My stock is large, embracing every variety, and will be sold at a small advance on the cost of manufacture. Country merchants supplied at New York C. MYERS, Hatter. September 12, 1851.

MIGARS, Cigars .- Just received, a fine lot of extra Ci-W. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Chemist.

WINDOW Glass.—Another supply of Cape May Window Glass, just received direct from the Factory. For W. H. LIPPITT, sale at New York prices, by

TOBACCO, TOBACCO. Something extra for the retail trade, at the sign of the Turk. D. L. BURBANK. TILL Coming, Fresh and Good. 40 bbls. sup. Genesee flour, new Wheat; 25 half bbls. extra do. do., (family use;) 10 boxes fresh Buckwheat, new; 10 bags do. do.;

DALL Trade. The prospects of our Fall Trade have induced us to purchase a large and well selected Stock ; of which we have the pleasure of offering to Country Merchants Preserves; Tobacco; Snuff; Segars, say 150,000, embracing asked-all the most celebrated brands; Matches; Baskets; Carpet Bags; Satchells; Whips; Perfumery; Fancy Soaps; German and French Toys; Fancy Articles; and many articles which would be tedious to mention, which have been selected by us at best prices—cash prices, and will be sold accordingly, by WILKINSON & ESLER.

HAVE Arrived per Schr. Alasie:-10 kegs extra Goshen Butter; 200 do. best Dried Beef; 25 best do. Beef Tongues; & bbl. pickled do. do.; 15 boxes Extra English Cheese, (small;) I doz. Pine Apple do. Low for cash, at GEO. H. KELLEY'S.

1 try and town friends for the liberal patronage they have bestowed on him, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same. Please call and examine his stock of Groceries, which consists in part of the following roform has just terminated fatally at Paris, to the articles :- Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Brandy, Whiskey, Rum, Gin, Wines, &c.; Flour, Spice, Pepper, Ginger, Soap, Candles, Dry Beef, Shoes, Domestic Cotton Yarns, Teas, and many other articles too tedious to mention. Call at the old Garden suffering from cataract of the eye, an emistand, Market street, in front of the Carolina Hotel. THOS. C. CRAFT.

IME, Lime, Lime. 500 barrels Lincolnville White Lump. Also, Calcined Plaster, Plastering Hair, Fire Brick, and Hydraulic Cement; 1,000 bbls. Lime, &c. For J. C. & R. B. WOOD. . Contractors and Builders.

Porto Rico Sugar, in hhds and bbis. Rio and Laguyra Coffce;

Java Coffee, in bags of about 30 lbs., for families;
Flour, superfine, of different brands;
Whiskey, Spanish Brandy, and N. E. Rum;
Mustard, Pepper Sance, and Lemon Syrup;
Table Salt, in boxes and bags; Haif barrels of Snuff;
300 sneks of Salt, direct from Liverpool;
500 bushels prime Railroud Corn.
All of which will be sold low. September 26, 1851

DOBACCO, Tobacco Just received per sehr. Express, a fine lot of Tobacco which will be sold very cheap.— Call at the sign of the Turk, Front street. Sept 25

Purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined not to be undersold.

N. B. Repairing done at short notice, and in the neatest and best manner.

ISAAC WELLS.

Wilmington, N. C., July 4, 1851

HATS and Caps. By late arrivals I have received at fants' Hats and Caps, embracing nearly every quality and style, from 12½ cents to \$3 50. Persons wishing to purchase will save money by patronising the Hat and Cap Store, Market street.

C. MYERS.

From the Louisville Journal. Childhood.

Oh! happy childhood, come again, With all thy fleeting joy and pain, When, o'er our path, some new-born flower Sprang up with every passing hour, And every breeze that fluttered by, Seemed laden with some op'ning joy.

The sun still ushers in the day, The moon sends down her silv'ry ray, Yet all their light seems dimmed by tears, They beam not as in childhood's years; They seem but mem'ries of a past. Bright, but alas! too bright to last. Spring still the earth adorns with flowers,

With verdure clothes the forest-bowers, The brook, its murm'rings, as of yore, Breathes softly to the pebbly shore, A thousand charms the fields unfold, Yet wear they not the tints of old. And thou must never more return,

Earth's stern, sad lessons all must learn; Yet, when the breaking heart is bowed By sorrow, though the low'ring cloud Will burst, and softened radiance cast Around us, mem'ries of the past.

AN UNTIMELY VISIT.-The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger, gives the following as a piece of Washington gossip :-

Mr. Blair, of the Globe that was, hearing of Mr. senton's sickness. called on him the other day. He the colonel was sick in bed, and that the doctor had forbidden people to enter his room. Mr. Blair stractedly about his new position, and never had thought that, as an old friend, he enjoyed the privilege of seeing Mr. Benton under all circumstances. and accordingly rushed into his bed chamber. There he was appalled to find Col. Benton sitting up in his in the name of Heaven, is the matter with you?" small pox, ha, ha, ha! Small pox, ha, ha, ha!" Blair rushed out like a thunderbolt, and immediately got himself vaccinated, to save his beauty.

THE BLACKGUARDS. - We have all sorts of "Guards" Schart Guards, Emmett Guards, Salamander lowest prices, and warrants every article to be of the best quality, consisting in part:

Gum Camphor; Pow'd Rhubarb; Seidlitz and Sods Powjus passed our office in all the "pride, pomp and cirders; Bermuda and American Arrow Root; Ex't Jalan Ex't | cumstance of glorious war," headed by three great Colocynth Compound; Calcined and Carb. Magnesia; Castor big buck niggers, who looked as if their heads could Oil; Cubebs; Copaiva and Sarsaparilla Capsules; Confect'ry batter down a stone wall. They must have seen Senna; Emory; Peruvian Bark; Shop Furniture; Vials; service, for they were all black and blue. When we Chemicals.-Calomel; Sulph. Quinine; Sulph. and Act. | see such sights in our public streets, we can't belp Morphine; Syrup Iodide of Iron; Strychnine; lodides of Mer- remarking that things look very dark indeed, and lead, looked up at the ceiling, and said with a spassome means should be taken to do away with them, modic gasp, "I want to get married!" for their " offence is rank [and file] and smells to extra and Nos. 1: Putty: Window Glass, 8 by 10, 10 by 12, heaven." However, they presented a highly polish- before she could utter a syllable, and then she said. ed appearance, and took the shine off everything.

New York Day Book. There is a report, says the Independence Belge. hat the Germanic Diet intends to suppress the independence of the three free towns, Hamburg, Bremen, and Lubeck, and to incorporate them in other Ger-

A couple of "limbs of the law," who were conducting a suit before a Justice in Rochester, got incensed at one another and finally came to blows .disturbing his honor; but the Justice wiping his specs, coolly declared that he hadn't been disturbed in the least-he rather liked it.

DANGEROUS RESEMBLANCE. - Berdue, the man who a wig !" was recently in the hands of a vigilant committee in ordered by the Court that the Sheriff of New Hanover coun- and Buffalo Dressing Combs; Tooth Picks; Bear and Macas- ral narrow escapes. First he escaped hanging by her hand on his head, gently lifted his wig off and the mob at San Francisco, was subsequently sen- placed it on the table. prit, acknowledged their error.

AN ILLINOIS COURT SCENE .- We sometimes get rich jokes from Illinois, and the latest is the following: It is a good bit of drollery, quite original, we believe, and we must put it on the file among the funny

things of the times. A constable that had lately been inducted into ofby the Judge to call John Bell and Elizabeth Bell. He immediately began at the top of his lungs. "John Bell and Elizabeth Bell?"

"One at a time," said the Judge. "One at a time-one at a time-one at a time,"

shouted the constable. "Now you've done it," exclaimed the Judge, out of patience. "Now you've done it-now you've done it-now

you've done it!"-yelled the constable. There was broke into a hearty laugh, to the perfect surprise and dismay of the astonished constable.

that a young missionary landed at his island to suc- fitted and sent back to active duty in their ships and have sailed from New York, in addition to those and the public generally. Our stock consists in part of Confectionary; Foreign and Domestic Fruits; Nuts; Pickles; an interview with the chief, the young minister Admiral

"Did you know my deprarted brother ?" "Oh ves! Me deacon in his church." good and tender hearted man ?" "Yes," replied the pious deacon with much gusto.

he very good and very tender. Me eat a piece of pelled, for going at a faster gait than a walk. The

A surgical operation under the influence of chloregret of the public, to whom the patient was well known. One of the brown bears in the Zoological nent sergean and a party of gelchrier assembled to undertake his cure. Bruin was tempted to the bars of his den by the offer of some bread and then secured by ropes and a muzzle. After a stout resistance, chloroform was administered. In a state of insensibility the cataract was removed, and the bands unwas skilfully and successfully performed.

Ladies who cultivate flowers. will gratefully receive the following recipe for destroying a very troublesome reptile: - Worms in pots may be easily destroyed, simply by watering the soil with limewater, which may be made by putting a piece of lime weighing about two pounds, into a pail of water; when the whole is slaked & well stirred up, it should be allowed to settle. The clear water may then be premises by crawling upon the surface, when they may be taken off and destroyed. If any remain, another watering may be applied. We have never LAUNCHED.—The new steam properellor "South found any difficulty in destroying them by this Carolina." intended to run between Charleston and

pidity, or rashness, not to fear it.

Romance in Real Life.

There was a fine old General once, who having spent most of his life in the field of Mars, knew very little about the camp of Cupid. He was one of those rough and honest spirits often met with in his gallant profession; innocent as an infant of almost every thing save high integrity and indomitable bravery. He was nearly fifty years old, and his toils were over, when master Dan Cupid brought him acquainted with a widow Wadman, in whose eye he began

was the result of leisure. During his service he had never seen anything worthy of notice in a woman's eye. In fact, he would scarcely have observed whether a woman had three eyes in her head or only one; for no matter where his own eyes were, his thoughts were among "guns, and drums, and wounds," and love was a thing that lived in his memory just as he remembered once reading a visionary story book called the "Arabian

Nights' Entertainment," when a boy. Well, the General settled down into an amiable, gentlemanly old fellow, living alone with comfortagentlemanly old fellow, living alone with comforta-ble wealth around him; and having little to do, save ble wealth around him; and having little to do, save Asheville Messenger. which companionship afforded opportunity for him "to fight his battles o'er again." But, alas! o'er this calm evening of the General's day a deal of perplexity was doome'd to fall, and he soon found himself in troubled waters, the depth of which he could by no means understand. He floundered about like ing to make arrangements to go on as usual; but his a caged rat under a pump-and such another melancholy fish out of water never before swallowed the bait, hook and all, of the angling god of love. The poor General. We must give him a name or we can't ed on his return to make preparations for closing first met the ladies in the parlor, who told him that tell the story, and the best name for such a story is the bank. On arriving at Jersey City he found

siege or campaign given him such perplexity before. At length, however, the blunt honesty of his disposition rose uppermost among his conflicting plans. and his course was chosen. At school he had once bed, his face covered with scales and scars. "What, studied "Othello's Defence" to recite at an exhibition, but made a great failure : and he now recolleccried Mr. Blair. "Nothing, sir," replied Col. Ben- ted that there was something in this "defence" verton, putting himself in his usual senatorial expoun- ry much like what he wanted to say. He got the ding attitude, patting, with two fingers of his right book immediately, found the passage, clapped on his hand, the palm of his left hand; "small pox, sir. hat with a determined air, and posted off to the widow Wadman's, with Shakspeare under his arm. "Madam," said General Uncle Toby, opening his

book at the marked place, with the solemnity of a special pleader at the bar-" Madam-"Rude am I in my speech, And little bless'd with the set phrase of peace; For since these arms of mine had seven years pith, Till now some nine moons wasted, they have used

Their dearest action in the tented field: And little of this great world can I speak, More than pertains to feats of broil and battle, And therefore"-

with precious tears of humor rolling down her goodnatured cheeks, " And who is it you want to marry, General ?" "You," said Uncle Toby, flourishing his sword-arm in the air, and assuming a military attitude of de-

"Will you kill me if I marry you?" said the widow, with a merry twinkle in her eye. "No, madam !" replied Uncle Toby, in a most se-

rious and deprecating tone, as if to assure her that such a thing had never entered his head. "Well, then, I guess I'll marry you," said the widow.

"Thank you, ma'am." said Uncle Toby: "but The widow started remained silent a moment and

California, and came near being hung, owing to an then went into a longer, louder and merrier laugh unfortunate resemblance to Stewart, the convict, has than she had indulged in before, at the end of which been discharged from custody. This man had seve- she drew her seat nearer the General, gravely laid tenced to death by a legally constituted court, and General Uncle Toby had never known fear in hot

again was sentenced to fourteen years imprisonment. battle, but he now felt a most decisive inclination to It seems that he was guiltless of every charge that run away. The widow laughed again as though UMBER and Timber. Always on hand, a large quan- was brought against him, and owed all his troubles to she never would stop, and the General was about to Litty of River Sawed Wide Boards, Flooring, and Scantthe close resemblance in personal appearance to the lay his hat upon his denuded head and bolt, when
ling. For sale by MILES COSTIN, convict above named. Several witnesses swore posi- the facetious lady placed her head upon his arm and tively to the identity of Berdue, but subsequently, detained him. She then deliberately raised her othupon being confronted with Stewart, the real cul- er hand to her own head, with a sort of military precision, executed a rapid manœuvre with her five fingers, pulled off her whole head of fine glossy hair, and placing it upon the table by the side of the General's, remained seated with ludicrous gravity in front of her accepted lover, quite bald!

As may be expected, Uncle Toby now laughed along with the widow, and they soon grew so merry fice was in attendance on the court, and was ordered over the affair that the maid servant peeped through the key-hole at the noise, and saw the old couple dancing a jig and bobbing their bald pates at each other like a pair of Chinese mandarins. So the two very shortly laid "their heads together upon the pillow of matrimony."-Connecticut Courant.

Palmer's Legs. An American gentleman named Palmer, having lost one of his own lower limbs, has invented a leg, with which he walks as well, dances as well, rides 15 bags Buck Shot; 40 reams large Wrapping Paper; 25 you've done it!"—yelled the constable. There was do small do do ; 10 quintals of large Codfish; 10 bbls. Irish no standing this: the court, bar and bystanders Potatoes; 50 bags Salt, for table use; 1 bbl. new No. 1 broke into a hearty laugh, to the perfect surprise We hear that bushels of legs are ordered for Chelsea and Greenwich Hospitals; and that the services Havana; the "Florida," for Savannah; and the are very much annoyed, because persons losing a "Roanoke" and the "City of Richmond," for Rich-The story is told of a certain New Zealand chief, limb will not be pensioned in future, but will be re-

> Admiral Lopp and Colonel Hopper, C. B., at the United Service Club, have expressed their determi- metheus," for San Juan de Nicaragua; "Cherokee," nation to have each his leg taken off (the Admiral for Chagres; "Winfield Scott," for New Orleans; suffering much from gout, and the Colonel, who is and "Southerner," for Charleston. The departure "Ah, then, you knew him well; and was he not a still the dandy of 1815, from a tight boot and corns) of so large a number of ocean steamers in so short a

ture. A council of footmen has been held at the Wheel of Fortune, Mr. James in the chair. Several gen- distant when steam will be the only mode of propul-A member of the "Lazy Club" has just been ex- tlemen who are out of place, and thin about the sion used, except in very long voyages. calves, have expressed their determination to ampurecusant offered, in mitigation of sentence, the fact tate against the season, and are going into St. George's who formerly resided at Motito, and is familiar with THE subscriber begs leave to return thanks to his country. assured me that the sheriff was after him, but the society was Hospital forthwith. It is thought that families re- the Kalliharri country, assured me that the remarkquiring tall footmen, will be better pleased to have able accounts sometimes circulated as to the people uniform legs behind a carriage, than the unequal of that part of Africa catching lions by the tail, and calves, the thick ankles, and the unartificial stuffing of which, I confess, I was very incredulous, were which so often disgrace the footboards of the aris- perfectly true. He well knows that the method pre-

> tied, but the patient showed no signs of life. Feath- invention, and construct not only legs, but whole bo- their royal foe, and beard the lion in his lair. Standers to the nose, cold buckets of water and bleeding dies, which will perform perfectly; execute pirouet- ing close by one another, the lion would make his produced no effect. Poor Bruin had gone whither tes, entrechats, &c.; sigh, grin, pant, leer, and orgle. spring on some one of the partythe great tortoise, two ostriches, and the African lion have preceded him, for the managers of the Berlin Garden are decidedly unlucky. With the trifling drawback of the death of the subject, the operation which will never quarrel, tattle, or use had lan-might: thus not only astonishing the animal, and which, if wanted, can be hired out for parties at | Tour in South Africa. Greenwich, Richmond, &c., perfectly dressed, and capable even of taking champagne, lobster salad, &c., as well as the present ornaments of the Terps ichorean stage.

> And they will not grow old, thin, fat, ugly, as the turned off, and the soil in the pot should be liberally best of the living machines must do: and when genwatered with it. The worms will soon leave the tlemen are tired of them, can be put away without few minutes until a quart had been taken. We have

> Liverpool, was launched on Saturday morning from It is want of judgment not to see danger; but stuthe yard of Jabez Williams & Co., Greenport, New The more polished society is, the less formality
> york.

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us to the Post Master at this place, under the terrors of the law of the General Government, passed at the to detect something that made him uneasy. Here last session, by men who eternally vote \$8 a day for themselves, and at the same time skin and rip open a poor devil of an editor in a six-penny advertise ment. The above receipt is for an advertisement that we would have charged any one else. (and justly too.) \$3 for, yet the Government makes it compulsory on us to do it for 35 cents! or it will deprive us of receiving a single exchange paper without paying the postage! No wonder the "News" complains that we are " BOUGHT UP," and a " HIRELING PRESS" when such things are brought to light! EDITORS are thus forced to work for NOTHING while public officers receive high wages and are allowed to steal all they

A Banker's Dedge.

A story is current here of a little sharp practice on the part of the Cashier of the People's Bank of Patterson, which is too good to be lost. The morning this institution failed he came into town, expectagent here very properly refused to redeem the bills unless supplied before with the needful, which was not forthcoming; and the Cashier accordingly startquite a number of brokers collected, who had got wind of the trouble, and were on their way to Patterson to secure if possible, the redemption of the bills in their hands. The train started, the hungry bill-holders seated in the cars, and the Cashier, who is President of the Railroad Company, standing with the engineer on the locomotive. After a run of a few miles, the bolt by which the engine drew its burden was quietly withdrawn, and the locomotive carrying the Cashier, shot onward to Patterson, leaving the cars to follow at their leisure. As soon as he had taken leave of his passenger, the engineer put back to bring up the train. and found it at a dead stand in an interesting locality, where the passengers had abundant time and opportunity to examine the scenery and cool the fever of their impatience. When the train reached Patterson the score of bankers rushed to the bank, but found it closed, with an in-

teresting placard attached to the door! New York Journal of Commerce. THE PRINTER .- A Printer is the most curious thing alive. He may have a bank and coins and not be Here the General closed the book, wiped his fore- worth a cent-have small caps and have neither wife nor children. Others may run fast but he gets along the swiftest by setting fast. He may be making impressions without eloquence; may use the lue with-The widow laughed for ten minutes by the watch out offending, and be telling the truth. While others cannot stand when they set, he can set standing, and even do both at the same time-use furniture and yet have no dwelling-may make and put away pi, and never see a pie much less eat it during his lifebe a human being and a rat at the same time-may fiance, as if he expected an assult from the widow press a great deal and not ask a favor-may handle a shooting iron, and know nothing about a cannon: gun or pistol; he may move the lever that moves the world, and yet be as far from moving the globe as a hog with his nose under a mole hill-spread sheets without being a housewife-he may lay his form on a bed, and yet be obliged to sleep on the floor-and he may use the t without shedding blood, and from the earth may handle the \*\*\* - he may be of a rolling disposition, and yet never desire to travel-he may have one thing I am bound to tell you of, madam; I wear a sheep's foot, and not be deformed-never be without a case, and know nothing of law or physic-be always correcting his errors, and growing worse every dayhave em s without ever having the arms of a lass around him-have his form locked up, and at the same

time be free from jail, watch house or any other con-

Who are our men ?-our distinguished men ? our most useful men? Those who have been cast down; but not destroyed-who when the breeze of adversity swept away their props, sought new standardspushed on-looked up and became what you behold them now. A glorious sentence and worthy to be inspired-never give it up! Men are not madethey make themselves. A steady perseverance-a determination never to sink, though millstones were hanged about their neck-is the true doctrine. It is this that has made the wilderness to blossomthat has given wings to the ocean, filled valleysleveled mountains, and built up great cities of the world. Who then is a fool, and yields simpering before the blast? Who is a suckling, and cowers before a cloud ? Is it you, young man, stout and healthy as you are ? Shame-shame on you. You are big enough to possess an iron beart, and to break down mountains at a blow. Up, and let this be a day of your redemption. Resolve to be a fool no longer -even if you are obliged to stand with a red hot iron upon your brow-never give up.

A STEAM FLEET .- On Saturday a fleet of seven first class steamships sailed from New York, viz: the United States mail steamer "Baltic," for Liverpool : the British iron steamer "Glasgow," for Glasgow the United States mail steamer "Empire City," for mond. Since Tuesday last the following steamers which left on Saturday\_making twelve in all: "Afri-ca," for Liverpool; "Merlin," for Bermuda; "Proand to wear nothing but American legs for the fu-ty with which this mode of conveyance is surperseding the sailing craft. The time seems to be not far

LION-CATCHING IN SOUTH AFRICA .- Mr. Lemue. vailed, and was certainly not uncommon among the The Corps de Ballet is much excited. Miss Bandi- people. Lions would sometimes become extremely nelli talks about chloroform and the knife, which a dangerous. Having become accustomed to human young surgeon of Guy's offers to employ gratis; flesh, they would not willingly eat any thing else.—
Mesdemoiselles Knox, Crookshanks, Spindle and When a neighborhood became infested, the men Lanky propose to remedy the defects of nature by would determine on the measures to be adopted to having recourse to this admirable American artist. rid themselves of the nuisance : then forming them-Indeed, Mr. Palmer thinks that he can perfect his selves into a band, they would proceed in seach of guage behind the scenes; which, if they sprain their absolutely taking him off his guard, but rendering ankles, can be mended easily, in ten minutes, by the his efforts powerless for the moment; while others Carpenter of the Theatre; which will not lead the closed in with their spears, and at once stabbed the young noblemen and men of fashion astray; and monster through and through-Rev. J. J. Freeman's

CURE OF RATTLESNAKE BITES .- A correspondent of the Baltimore American writing from Russell county, Virginia, cites two cases, one of a negro man and the other of a boy, in which severe bites of rattlesnakes have been cured by the free administra-tion of brandy, half a tumbler full at a time every heard eye witnesses attest the virtue of this remedy. It is said that the liquor in such cases does not intoxicate. [Ammonia, or spirits of hartshorn, is a much more available remedy.]